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Colored Soldiers to be Removed.

The War Department has decided to remove the colored regiment, the Twenty-fifth Infantry, now stationed at Brownsville, Tex., and replace it by a white company. This will relieve the cause of friction which has been agitating the people of that city for some days past.

General Ainsworth, acting secretary of war, yesterday received a report of the recent disturbance from Major C. W. Penrose, commanding the regiment, and at once sent a dispatch ordering the removal of the regiment.

The order for the removal of the colored troops met the approval of the President.

Of the attitude of the the citizens of Brownsville toward the negro soldiers, Major Penrose says:

"That the enlisted men have been subjected to indignities since their arrival here there can be no doubt, and this has caused a good deal of feeling among them. The one case to which I attribute this outbreak I will make the subject of an official report as soon as John W. Vann, the collector of customs, returns to the city."

Major Penrose then outlines briefly the case in question. Privates Newton and Lipscumb were passing along a walk on August 5 where some women were standing engaged in conversation with a man named Tate, who is employed in the customs office. The negro privates walked, single file, between the woman and a fence. Tate knocked Newton down with the butt of a revolver, and is reported to have said, "I'll learn you to get off the sidewalk when there is a party of ladies on the walk." When Newton rose Tate is said to have covered him with the revolver, commanding, "Damn you, leave, or I will blow your brains out." This account of the affair is corroborated by Lipscumb. Major Penrose sought an official investigation of the affair, but as the collector of customs, Mr. Vann, is out of the city, it has not been possible to have the affair looked into.

Tartars and Russians Fight.

Advices received at St. Petersburg, yesterday, from the southwestern section of the Caucasus show that the fighting in the district bordering on the Persian frontier has now assumed the dignity of a regular war, with daily engagements, resulting in heavy losses, both to the Tartars and to the Russian troops, who are the chief belligerents, and with all the features of a formal campaign.

The Armenians chiefly figure as the victims, being unable to wage even a successful defense against the well-armed Tartars, who are organized and trained on military lines, and do not fear to meet the Russian forces in open fight when the latter are not accompanied by the artillery at the disposal of Colonel Vevern, the Russian commander. The Tartars forces are steadily increasing, being, it is supposed, reinforced by Kurds from beyond the frontier.

The Council of National defense yesterday adopted a project for the more stringent punishment of persons refusing military service, providing for their enrolment in disciplinary battalions or imprisonment at hard labor for from four to eight years. Though ostensibly aimed at those who decline to serve on the ground of religious principle, such as Doukhobars and Molokhans, it can also be turned against those attempting to obey the behest of the Viborg manifesto. The project will be presented to the Emperor for his signature as a temporary measure during the recess of parliament.

Throughout the whole of the Russian pale yesterday was observed as a day of fasting and prayer for deliverance from future pogroms. The Jewish communities of other cities joined in services of prayer to avert the slaughter of their coreligionists in the danger zone.

Billion-Dollar Congress.

According to a statement issued yesterday by Thomas P. Cleaves and James C. Courts, chief clerks, respectively, of the Senate and House committees on appropriations, Congress at its last session appropriated for the fiscal year 1907 nearly a billion dollars. The exact amount is $879,589,185.16, representing an increase of $59,404,550.20 over the sum appropriated at the last session of the Fifty-eighth Congress for 1906. The largest item is contained in the appropriation for the Postoffice Department, the amount allotted being $191,695,998,-.75 The next largest sum was given for pensions, the money appropriated amounting to $140,245,500, or nearly as much as was allowed for the support of the army, and over forty millions more than was granted for the naval establishment.

Of the net increase of $59,404,550.20 over 1906, it is stated, $42,447,201.08 was for the isthmian canal, the balance being accounted for through the appropriations for the carrying out of the meat inspection law, the continuance of contracts for river and harbor work, the reorganization of the diplomatic and consular service and the extension of the rural free delivery service.

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Lot Children's Tan and White Hose, 12½c quality, choice, pair..... 9c
Lot Ladies' 25c Fancy Collars, each..... 15c
Lot 25c Windsor Ties, each..... 15c
Lot Good Ammonia, bottle..... 3c
Lot good Toilet Soap, cake..... 2c
Lot Misses' Tan and Black Lace Hose, 25c grade, pair..... 17c
Ladies' 25c Belts, each..... 15c
3 Ladies' $1.00 Black Sateen Underskirts, each..... 69c
Several $1.98 and $2.50 White Canvas Cloth Skirts, choice..... $1.49
Several Ladies' $5.00 Rain Coats..... $2.98
1 Leather Suit Case reduced from $4.50 to..... $3.25
3 Black Suit Cases, reduced from $1.50 to..... 75c
12½c Cotton Voiles, yard..... 7½c
1 piece 25c Black Lace Lawn, yard..... 15c
$1.25 White Linen Parasols, each..... 75c
$1.98 White Linen Parasols, each..... $1.25
$2.25 White Silk Parasols, each..... $1.75
$1.50 Fancy Silk Parasols, each..... 98c
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1 Trunk, reduced from $13.50 to..... $8.50
1 Trunk, damaged, reduced from $6.50 to..... $3.25
12 pieces Black Mosquito Net reduced to, yard..... 4c
Children's 75c White Caps, now..... 49c
Children's $1.00 White Caps now..... 65c
Children's 25c White Wash Hats each 19c
Children's 50c White Wash Hats each 35c
Ladies' 50c White Hand Bags, each... 35c
Ladies' $1 White Hand Bags, each..... 65c
One Black Silk Underskirt, $4.50 quality, now..... $3.19
12½c Fancy Duck and Covert Cloths, yard..... 7c
One lot 12½c Fancy Silk Effects..... 7½c
One lot 10c and 12½c Fancy Striped White Goods, yard..... 7c
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DURING THE past few days two more young women have been maltreated and murdered by negro brutes in the southern part of the country. In one instance the fiend, who had been captured, was shot to death at the scene of his crime. Assaults and lynchings south of Mason's and Dixon's line are becoming more frequent and hardly a week passes without such occurrences. Some have supposed that the use of liquor and cocaine by negroes often convert them into irresponsible brutes. A dispatch from Greenwood, S. C., last night tells of the arrest and placing in jail of Bob Faust, colored, thirty years old, who yesterday afternoon went crazy thinking over the recent lynchings, and announced that he would assault every woman he met. Three times he attacked colored women and was driven away without doing them injury. Then he entered the premises of Benjamin King, a white farmer living in the Coronaca section, loudly proclaiming that he meant to assault the women of the place. He had a gun, but King succeeded in disarming him, and later, securely bound, he was taken to Greenwood, apparently a raving lunatic.

A MAN who had $250 on deposit in the Milwaukee Avenue State Bank of Chicago brooded over his loss until yesterday he ended life's trouble by committing suicide. Some persons seem to be endowed with but little strength to meet the trials and disappointments of life. Attention was called yesterday to the sad case of a man in Norfolk who took his life for no other reason than the fact that he was in debt in the sum of $7. Had either of these individuals been called upon to battle against a number of waves of adversity they might not have found places in suicides' graves; but brooding over single and small troubles they soon became powerless to rise superior to their difficulties and died by their own hands. Most people who suffer real or imaginary troubles and who constantly tire their friends with incessant complaints are, after all, carrying light burdens when compared with those of others who plod along life's highway uncomplainingly. The cases referred to above are among the many incidents which go to prove this assertion.

THE NEWSPAPERS are commenting upon upon the fact that Francis Marshall, colored, of Washington, employed as a waiter at the Stockton Hotel, Cape May, proved himself a hero in the surf a day or two ago by rescuing from drowning Mamie Hallihan, who is employed at the same hotel. Miss Hallihan, with two men, went into the surf and the three got beyond their depth. After struggling for a time both men came ashore. The colored man, who was bathing some distance from the white people, discovered Miss Hallihan's predicament and swam out to her. He reached her just in time to save her from going down and brought her ashore, amid the shouts of approval from a large number of persons who witnessed the action of the white men. The latter are receiving the censure they justly merit.

THERE IS trouble in Cuba—such troubles as vexed Spain periodically when that country had control of the island—and which have been unloaded upon the United States. Palma's troops have deserted four posts in Pinar del Rio to join the rebels. The treasury is under guard the customs officials have been armed and militia stationed on all roads outside of Havana. The United States government may be called upon to interfere. President Palma has called an extraordinary session of Congress. Press dispatches are being censored. It is also said that a plot to assassinate President Palma has been discovered.

ACCORDING to dispatches received in New York, the historic island of Juan Fernandez, at one time the solitary abode of Alexander Selkirk, has sunk in the Pacific ocean, and will consequently pass out of geographies of the future. The adventures of Alexander Selkirk, a Scotchman, who lived a solitary existence on the island for four years, is said to have been the basis for the tale of "Robinson Crusoe," written by Alexander Defoe, which has been read by more people, both young and old, than any other book save the Bible.

LET ALL bear this fact in mind: all subsidies, petty or great, are paid out of the revenue collected by taxation from the people. The idea that this government is rich is a false idea. It has nothing but what it takes from the people's pockets. The rich pay federal taxes only in the proportion of the poor; and that is an insignificant proportion; and even that proportion is offset by the special "protection," or advantage, which the tariff gives the rich.

THE REPUBLICANS have had such bad luck with reforms that they have concluded in future to stand pat and let the tariff still plunder us.

From Washington.

(Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.)

Washington, Aug. 21

Today's news from Cuba, especially with reference to the danger in which American residents of the Island are placed, is so disquieting that forcible action by the United States government may be taken at any time. The State Department has requested Charge d'Affaires Sleeper at Havana for a full report on the situation as it appeared this morning. This report is anxiously awaited. Should it develop that lives and property, not only of Americans, but of natives, are really endangered, and that the Cuban government is unable to cope with the disturbance, one or more warships will be dispatched to the nearest available port where marines will be landed and sent against the revolutionists. According to officials of the administration, it would not be necessary for the United States to wait until President Palma has requested intervention, It is regarded here that ample authority exists for this government to intervene at any time, on its own volition, should it consider the crisis sufficiently grave.

Minister Wilson, at Brussels, Belgium, and Consul-General Howe, of Antwerp, Belgium, have locked horns on the subject as to whether there is a demand in that country for American cattle. Early in the summer the consul-general sent a report to this government that there is annually in Belgium a ready market for 100,000 American lean cattle for feeding purposes. Now Minister Wilson states in a formal report he is informed by a representative of the Belgian agricultural department that there is practically no demand for American lean cattle, "since the 17,000 or 20,000 cattle furnished annually by Holland and France meet all the demands of the Belgian market, and that there is no evidence of a desire in Belgium for a modification in favor of the United States of regulations governing the importation of cattle which now accord an apparent preference to Holland and France."

The commission appointed by the heads of the department of commerce and labor, agricultural department and the treasury department to formulate rules and regulations under the pure food act has sent to the leading manufacturers a syllabus of the questions to be discussed at a conference between the interested parties and the commission in New York, September 17—22. The suggestions which the commission desire to receive are divided into twelve groups. These relate to the definition and nature of the original package prepared for export, to the collection of samples, hearings and publications, use of colors, flavors and preservatives, misbranding of foods and drugs, mixtures and imitations, proprietary foods, drug adulteration and misbranding, confectionary, establishment of guarantee and inspection of imported foods. Among the most important of these is that relating to the nature and procedure of hearings before the Secretary of Agriculture for both the manufacturer and the importer, and the method of publication after judgment has been passed upon the products.

Commissioner H. B. F. Macfarland returned to Washington yesterday from Europe. Mr. Macfarland said yesterday that compared with the cities he saw (and he visited all the European capitals), Washington had more natural beauty and more beautiful parks and trees and more of them, and on the whole was the most beautiful, although Paris has greater show places, like the Champs Elysees and its surroundings. Even Paris, he said, taken altogether, the back streets with the boulevards, was not as beautiful as Washington and particularly did not have as many city parks or trees, and had comparatively few beautiful trees.

Chas. L. Magee, secretary of the National Red Cross Association, is sending out telegrams today to the presidents of the 27 local State organizations urging them to issue appeals in their respective districts for subscriptions to aid the sufferers from the earthquake in Valparaiso, Chili. Contributions from States where there are no regular organizations of the Red Cross will be received by Chas. H. Keep, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury. Charge d'Affaires Vega of the Chilean legation was a caller at the State Department this morning. He said that from information he had received, from his knowledge of the country, and from the publications made, he is inclined to believe that the reports of damage have been greatly exaggerated. This, he thinks, is particularly likely to prove true with regard to the reports of the destruction of entire towns and villages outside of Valparaiso and Santiago. He notices that the newspaper accounts make no mention of damage done at a number of towns much nearer to Valparaiso than some of those which are reported entirely destroyed and he therefore thinks that the latter stories are prabably not true.

A Week of Crime.

Last week's statistics show that 58 officials were murdered and 48 were wounded in Russia proper; that 50 bomb depots were discovered, six safes were were rifled of money and that 63 persons were robbed.

These official figures do not take into account the pillaging in the country, nor do they give the number of military executions or arrests of agitators and revolutionists, and there are no figures showing the number of persons sent into exile.

The St. Petersburg Gazette says that 2,300 persons were banished Saturday from St. Petersburg alone and that 750 were placed on trains bound for the interior. Prefect of Police von Lanuitz has declared his intention of clearing the capital of all "vagabonds." The police of St. Petersburg, are being trained in the handling of rapid-fire guns at an army factory outside St Petersburg. A detachment of police is sent there daily for training.

Assailant Shot to Death.

Bob Etheridge, the negro who on Thursday last attempted to criminally assault the seven-year-old daughter of T. H. West, a well-to-do farmer of the Mount Willing section of Saluda county, N. C., was taken yesterday by the girl's father to the scene of the crime, where he was shot to death last night. Etheridge was employed at the home of West. Thursday afternoon he asked the child to accompany him to feed the stock, and while at the barn he attacked her. The child was horribly bruised, but the negro failed in his purpose. Although it was reported yesterday morning that the girl's death was momentarily expected, a message from the attending physician last night stated that there was some hope of her surviving.

News of the Day.

The ice famine in Baltimore is growing acute.

Secretary Taft will shortly make formal announcement to the President that he does not desire the proffered position on the United States Supreme Court bench.

Sixteen men condemned for participation in the mutiny at Cronstadt,. August 1 were executed at daybreak yesterday morning. Among the number were two students and army surgeons.

Whether it pleases him or not Mr. William J. Bryan will be indorsed as the next presidential candidate of the democratic party by the State convention of the Illinois democracy which met at Peoria today.

A large committee, headed by Gov. Glenn, of North Carolina and Senators Overman and Simmons, will go to New York to invite William Jennings Bryan to visit Raleigh and deliver an address at the North Carolina State fair in October. If he goes, he will speak from the same platform which President Roosevelt used last October.

The feature of the republican State convention which meets at Springfield, Ill., today will be the indorsement of Speaker Joseph G. Cannon as the republican nominee for the presidency of the United States in 1908. This action was decided upon last night at a conference of the State party leaders held at the Statehouse.

A report made to the County Court at Sunbury, Pa., yesterday showed that William H. Berry, tax collector of that city, had embezzled $16,000. He was immediately dismissed from office by the court. Berry was bonded in $15,000, and his bondsmen expect to realize nearly that sum from his property, which has been seized by the sheriff.

John B. Roper, the man with many aliases, who murdered without cause two fellow prisoners named Trawick and Crowder in the county jail at Lufkin, Tex. August 15 by beating them to death with a heavy bucket as they slept, ended his life by hanging himself in his cell Sunday night, using a strip from a blanket. He acknowledged a few days ago that he was a member of the Dalton gang of bank robbers at Long View, Tex., in 1892.

A wire suspension foot bridge across the Juniata river, near Williamsport, Pa., gave way Sunday night as Chester Robinson, his wife and two small children were crossing it, and the wife and the youngest child were drowned. Robinson had his four-year-old son Ralph in his arms at the time, and succeeded in reaching shore with him. He returned to rescue his wife and 18-months-old child, but they were washed down stream by the swift current before he could reach them.

As a result of the recent earthquake, every building in Valparaiso is reported damaged and half the city wrecked, while the property loss is placed at $250,000,000. The structures destroyed include the administration building, the Hotel Ingles, the Victoria Theater and the palace of Dona Astra-Buruaga, the most brilliant woman in Chili. The prison fell and killed 140 prisoners. Twenty thousand inhabitants are without shelter. The banks have suspended business for two weeks.

Elmer Beck, a son of Alexander Beck, of York, Pa., while witnessing a game of baseball at Enola on Saturday, was struck on the side of his head with a batted ball. His skull was fractured. Young Beck had been working at Lebanon and was on his was to visit his wife, who was stopping with her parents at Enola. He had a few minutes to stop between cars and was watching an amateur ball game. He became very much interested and was struck on the head with a foul ball. He was taken to a hospital. His conditions is serious.

Premier Sarrien, who has been elected president of the Departmental Council of Saone et Loire, France, made a speech yesterday in which he said the government, supported by parliament and public opinion, was determined to enforce the law for the separation of church and state. He was confident, he said, that attempt now preparing to stir up a religious war would fail before the good sense of the people, who recognize, he said, that liberty of worship never can be threatened by republicans, who are the most sincere and resolute defenders of freedom of conscience.

Scott Coberly, a well-known river man of Parkersburg, W. Va., who pilots the little steamer Albatross between that place and Elizabeth, on the Little Kanawha, is lying at his home in a serious condition as the result of being struck by lightning. Coberly was piloting the boat to Parkersburg yesterday morning during a heavy electrical storm. He had one hand on the wheel when the bolt struck it, and from the statement of others on the boat the current ran around the wire on the wheel three times before Coberly could release himself. When he did get loose he fell to the deck unconscious.

Steamer on a Reef.

A dispatch from Honolulu says that the Pacific Mail Steamship Company's steamship Manchuria is on the reef at Rabbit Island. The Manchuria struck bow on during a heavy rainstorm about 4:30 o'clock yesterday morning. She was considerably out of her course. Rabbit Island is a small speck in the sea close to the windward side of the Island of Oahu, on which Honolulu is located. The coast is unusually dangerous, owing to the on-shore seas. The steamer lies about 300 feet from the main shore. There are from two to three fathoms of water forward and about six fathoms aft.

The position of the Manchuria is not believed to be one of immediate danger although there are indications of an approaching storm which would render the steamer's position perilous.

Church Struck by Lightning.

Three hundred worshippers at the Hegewisch Swedish Lutheran Church, Chicago, were thrown into a panic last Sunday by a bolt of lightning, which set fire to the building. Two persons were thrown to the floor and rendered unconscious, but were later revived. The church was crowded, and because of the heat several of the windows had been opened to admit the air. A bolt of lightning struck the edifice and traveled downward and through the open window. The woodwork was set afire and the worshippers fled in terror. None was injured in leaving the place, and acting under the direction of the pastor several of the men returned to the church and extinguished the fire.

Virginia News.

George Payne and Warren Brown, of Falmouth, caught on Sunday a sturgeon weighing over 500 pounds in the Rappahannock river near Fredericksburg.

The new Catholic church at Colonial Beach was dedicated to St. Elizabeth on Sunday morning, by Rev. Father Coleman, pastor of St. Patrick's Church, Fredericksburg.

Mrs. Jones, wife of Congressman W. A. Jones, of Warsaw, is very sick at her home, and in consequence Mr. Jones has been compelled to cancel several engagements to lecture on Japan and the Philippines.

A dispatch from Strasburg says that Anna, the 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ramsey, died Sunday evening at the Chalybeate Springs Hotel of lockjaw. Tuesday she stepped on a nail, which penetrated her foot. Saturday night lockjaw developed.

Lewis P. Nelson died at Culpeper yesterday morning at 4 o'clock, in the eighty-eight year of his age. He was the oldest man in Culpeper, and was for 65 years prominently identified with the business interests of Culpeper. He started life as a poor boy and died wealthy.

Phone Rang Just in Time.

Attacked in her apartment, 235 west One Hundred and Eleventh street, New York, by a masked negro, Miss Elizabeth Solomon was saved from robbery or injury by the opportune ringing of her telephone bell, which frightened away the intruder. He was pursued into Central Park, but escaped.

Miss Solomon is a daughter of the late John Solomon, an Irish inventor and iron manufacturer, who came to this country many years ago and accumulated a large fortune. She lived on the fourth floor, with her sister Catherine, 50 years old, until last May, when the latter became blind and it was necessary to place her in a sanitarium. Miss Solomon, living there alone since then, was cleaning her diamond rings and earrings a few days ago when the bell at the front door of her apartment sounded. She left the jewels on the washstand to answer the bell.

Opening the door Miss Solomon was confronted by a tall negro, who wore a brown mask. He immediately clutched her throat, but not before she had been able to scream so loudly that she was heard by small boys in an adjoining apartment.

At the same moment Miss Solomon's telephone bell rang close beside the negro who was choking her. Her guardian, Joseph W. Monahan, had called up his ward. The burglar evidently thought the bell had sounded an alarm, for he dropped the woman and fled up the stairway to the roof just as Mrs. Bernstein, occupant of the apartment across the hall, opened her door. Her boys had heard Miss Solomon's scream.

Running to the roof and over it to 235 west One Hundred and Eleventh street, the negro dashed down through the house and into the street. Miss Solomon fainted and it was an hour before she revived.

B. R. T. Officials Locked Up.

Brooklyn Rapid Transit officials found themselves in a serious plight yesterday when bail was refused and two of them were placed in cells on charges of inciting to riot in the recent troubles between the company and its passengers who refused to pay two fares to Coney Island.

They were General Superintendent Dow S. Smith and Chief Inspector William Newberry. Two others—General Manager John F. Calderwood and Vice-President Timothy H. Williams—arraigned on the same charge, were admitted to $2,000 bail each. They were arrested last Friday.

When the cases came before Magistrate Higginbotham yesterday afternoon the defendants' attorney asked that examination of the four men be waived and that they be bailed. Lawyer McDonald DeWitt, from the office of Clarence J. Shearn, counsel for William R. Hearst's Municipal Ownership League, made the point that the Brooklyn Rapid Transit officials were charged with inciting to riot; that a murder had resulted from the consequent riots, and that, accordingly, the magistrate had no right to fix bail. The magistrate decided to hold the prisoners, as stated, without further argument.

Smith and Newberry were later released from their cells in Raymond street jail by Judge Jaycox, who, in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn, late yesterday afternoon issued a writ of habeas corpus and accepted $2,500 bail from each.

To Employ Fifteen Thousand Chinese.

The Isthmian Canal Commission intends to employ 15,000 Chinese coolies instead of 2,500, as at first announced. They will work 10 hours a day with pay and a half for all over time.

The government is to be free from liability for damages on account of death by accident or disease of any of the laborers, such responsibility being assumed by the contractors. On receiving award of contract the successful bidder must put up $100,000 bond to carry out the regulations of the commission.

The coolies must be between the ages of 21 and 42 years, free from physical infirmities. None will be accepted but those that have been accustomed to digging and earth work and to climatic conditions similar to those in Panama.

No laborers will be accepted who have been brought from any part of the Hawaiian Islands. Exacting regulations will be made as to the personal identification of each Chinaman coming within the zone. The contractor is required to give security to the Republic of Panama that Chinese laborers and families shall be promptly deported upon completion of their terms of service.

Suicide of a Depositor.

Another suicide was added yesterday to the list caused by the wrecking of the Milwaukee Avenue State Bank, of Chicago, Edward Kollereb, 45 years of age, who two months ago deposited $250 in the institution, yesterday banged himself from a pile of lumber in sight of a number of men in boats on the lake. Several of the men hurried to his assistance, but were unable to reach him in time. Friends of Kollereb claim that the loss of the money so preyed on him that for several days his mind seemed unbalanced

Receiver Charles G. Dawes yesterday closed the Milwaukee Avenue Co-operative Store, one of Paul O. Stensland's enterprises. The store was closed in preparation for a receiver's sale.

Today's Telegraphic News

The Recent Earthquake in Chili.

Valparaiso, Chili, Aug. 21.—The city is gradually awakening from the dawn into which it was thrown by the earthquake which wrought such disaster here last Thursday night. The citizens are calmer, and as the dread of the repetition of the shocks grows less many are returning to the city from the hills ready to participate in the work of making the city habitable again. No time will be lost in resuming business.

The discovery that robbers and ghouls were at work looting the damaged buildings and stealing from the bodies of the unburied dead, aroused the city last night. The killing of several robbers by guards is believed to have put an end to the plundering.

For the permanent rebuilding of the city an appropriation of $100,000,000 will be asked of Congress. Relief supplies are beginning to reach the city by steamer from other points in quantities sufficient to insure against famine. The people are now assured that they can secure enough food by steamer and this dread has been eliminated from the worries before them. The railroads will be restored as rapidly as possible, so that the transportation of food and supplies overland can be resumed.

London, Aug. 21.—The banks in Valparaiso, Chili, which was the scene of the earthquake disaster last Thursday night, will be open for business daily from 10 o'clock until 12. This decision has been reached by the managers of the banks and the information is conveyed in a cablegram to the Tarapaca and Argentina bank here. The opening of the banks will mark the resumption of business in the city.

Santiago, Chili, Aug. 21.—Valparaiso is practically a total loss. This is the statement of the governor of the state of Valparaiso in his official report to President Riesco.

The number of dead is estimated by the governor at 300, and the injured at 800. These figures of 300 dead greatly reduce previous estimates.

The newspaper Mercurio, of Volparaiso says the damage has been greatly under estimated. It places the number of dead at 2,500. Army wagons and relief trains are starting from this city, for Valparaiso, but it is anticipated that they will have a hard time in getting through. The governor has appropriated 2,000,000 pesos to be used in relieving the victims of the disaster.

It is hoped that communication with Valparaiso will soon be restored by telegraph and telephone. A mail service between the two cities will be established by soldiers.

Liverpool, England, Aug. 21.—Optimistic news is contained in dispatches received here today from Valparaiso, Chili, and the situation throughout the zone visited by the disastrous earthquakes of last Thursday night is apparently improving.

Little damage was caused beyond Llai-Llai, half way between Valparaiso and Santiago.

The earthquakes have ceased in Valparaiso and the fires in various parts of the city are out.

The military authorities have the situation under perfect control, and the prospects are very favorable for avoiding any scarcity of food and supplies.

Most of the information comes in a private dispatch to the Duncan Fox Company. The correspondent adds that he expects conditions to improve materially in the immediate future.

The Revolution in Cuba.

Havana, Aug. 21.—A state of revolution actually exists in the island of Cuba, and the government has been brought face to face with this fact. Minor fighting has already occurred, and it is feared this is but the foretaste of more serious engagements in the near future.

The revolutionary forces are now estimated at fully 1,000 men, and some of the newspapers even place the number at 2,000. The rebels are scattered about the country in small bands for the most part. If they can be collected into a single army, they will be in a position to create a great deal of trouble.

The situation is worse in the province of Pinar del Rio. Advices from the city of Pinar del Rio say that Congressman Guerra intends to capture that city. It is the intention of the revolutionists to establish their headquarters there. Guerra has a force of four hundred men at his command, while the entire force of rural guards and volunteers at the call of the government does not exceed 300 men.

The fact that many of the leaders in the revolutionary movement took a prominent part in the late war adds to the seriousness of the situation. They have many personal followers who may be induced to join their forces.

The report has been current for some time that General Jose Miguel Gomez, who was a candidate for President, has joined the revolutionists. Denial of this has been offered, but the denials are not definitely accepted. If Gomez has formally allied himself with the revolutionists the situation is indeed serious.

There is danger in the present situation for American residents in the island. The plan of the revolutionists is to force intervention by the United States. For that reason, Americans are marked for attack. American planters in remote provinces are hastening to the cities to escape falling into the hands of the revolutionists. If the revolutionists cannot force intervention by the United States in any other way, it is asserted, they will enter on a programme of burning the property of American residents to bring about the result they desire. Commerce has been paralyzed in the western provinces through fear that the rebels will resort to pillaging.

Havana, Cuba, Aug. 21.—Daring revolutionists carrying arms openly attempted to force their way into the city of Havana, today.

They were discovered, however, by police officers, and fled after an exchange of volleys on the very threshold of the Cuban capital.

Fighting in the province of Pinar del Rio is also reported as one of the developments of today. Exchanges between the government forces and revolutionists occurred several times yesterday, afternoon. Altogether, the situation is growing worse, all the time.

The arrest of General Jose Miguel Gomez, who was a candidate for President against President Palma, has been ordered.

Say They Saw an Angel.

Geneva, Aug. 21.—Over 5,000 peasants fled from Val Venasco on the Swiss Italian frontier during a great storm on Lake Maggiore. The superstitious villagers declare they saw an angel in the sky pointing a finger at the valley. Thinking the valley was doomed they fled in great terror.

The Market.

Georgetown, Aug. 21.—Wheat 65a72.

ANOTHER SHOCK.

London, Aug. 21.—Another heavy earthquake is reported to have struck Valparaiso last night. This is the information received here from Lima, Peru, today.

The reports state that the town of Quillota, twenty-six miles from Valparaiso, having a population of 10,000, has been destroyed.

Lima experienced a slight shock this morning.

Russian Soldiers and Peasants Fight.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 21.—"If you are so brave why did not you defeat the Japanese?" This taunt tossed at Russian soldiers at a fair held in Kharkoff province was directly responsible for an attack made on groups of peasants yesterday, in which fifty-seven of the latter were killed or injured.

A number of soldiers attended the fair and came into conflict with the peasants. The latter taunted the soldiers with the words quoted. The soldiers reported to their commanding officer how they had been jeered at by the peasants. The officer at once called in a company of soldiers and ordered them to charge the peasants.

The latter were not expecting the attack and were totally unarmed. There was a terrible slaughter of the defenceless peasant in which fifty-seven casualties occurred.

A serious mutiny on the part of Cossacks has occurred in the Astrakhan province. Several popular teachers were arrested by the police and were being taken away when a thousand Cossacks came to their assistance. The teachers were released and the police disarmed. Next the Cossacks arrested the local authorities, including the prefect, and they are all in jail guarded by the Cossacks.

Burglars Try to Burn Family.

Coatesville, Pa., Aug. 21.—The home of H. J. Branson, cashier of the National Bank of Chesterday Valley, was burglarized early yesterday morning, and when the robbers left they set fire to the house. The timely discovery of smoke issuing from the kitchen, observed by employees of the electric light works close by, possibly prevented the destruction of the dwelling and saved a number of lives. The Branson family and servants were awakened with considerable difficulty. Then Mr. Branson and his son came downstairs and found the dining-room in flames. A coal-oil can sitting in the doorway explained that the fluid had been used to saturate the carpets. The robbers had also constructed a bonfire beneath the kitchen porch in a pile of burlap, and turned on the gas jets, without lighting them. A gold watch and chain, boiled cold tongue and a large roast of beef were taken. Other homes were burglarized here on Saturday night.

Interview with Czar.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 21.—A high personage who recently has been brought into constant contact with the Czar, but who refuses to permit his name to be used, in an interview with the correspondent of the Publishers Press today says: "The Czar has spoken to me freely regarding his desires for the future of Russia. Upon one occasion he said I am a pure constitutionalist now. I am studying all he varied constitutions suggested by the several political parties. I think only a cabinet should be appointed which will likely enjoy the confidence of the douma, but at the same time the cabinet must be responsible to me. I am inclined to favor the constitutional democrats, but cannot persuade them to work in harmony with me. I believe Russia will avoid a bloody revolution, as the troops are loyal. If the fight turns against us, however, then let the revolution devour us all, for I have done all humanely possible."

Peace Negotiations Declared Off.

Chicago, Aug. 21.—Peace negotiations which have been carried on in Zion City between John Alexander Dowie, and Wilbur Glenn Voliva, have been declared off. A statement to this effect is given out by Dowie: "All attempts at negotiations have ended in failure. I made a proposition but Voliva and his adherents refused to consider it. Then I offered to consider a proposition from them, but it was twice stated they had none to offer. "Hence negotiations are closed." "Just what Dowie's proposition was neither the principals in the controversy, nor John Patelly, who has acted as intermediary in the affair, would say.

The Thompson-Sullivan Fight.

Peoria, Ills., Aug. 21.—The Thompson-Sullivan fight will come squarely before the democratic State convention when it meets at noon. An agreement has been made whereby Congressman Rainey, the Thompson candidate for chairman, has withdrawn, and Judge Boggs, the Sullivan candidate, will be unanimously elected.

The resolution concerning Sullivan will be introduced on the floor of the convention, and will be allowed full discussion. W. J. Bryan has publicly attacked Roger Sullivan in support of Judge Thompson.

Three Men Asphyxiated.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 21.—Fourteen men were overcome by gas at the Jones & Laughlin Eliza furnace, Soho, at 4:15 this morning. Three men died at the Emergency Hospital. The accident was due to a "blow-out," or explosion of accumulated gas. It is believed that two others will succumb to the effects of the deadly fumes which they inhaled.

Chief of Police Killed.

Warsaw, Poland, Aug. 21.—The chief of police of Siedlee, a town 55 miles southeast of Warsaw, was killed today by a bomb. Two constables and a woman who were near the chief at the time the bomb was thrown were wounded. The assassin escaped.

Girls Kill Wolf.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Aug. 21.—With no weapon except a wooden pail, two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. Olsen, who live on a farm in Bonhomme county, on Sunday killed a fierce wolf. The girls were gathering berries. They were followed by their dogs. While passing along a road which was skirted by timber, the dogs discovered and attacked a huge wolf. It was soon demonstrated that it was more than a match for both dogs. Notwithstanding the danger, one of the girls approached near enough to deal the wolf a number of blows on the head with the pail. This partially stunned it, and before it could recover it was killed. The dogs were bitten, but their lives were saved.

In this state it is not necessary, to serve a five days' notice for eviction of a cold. Use the original laxative cough syrup, Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar. No opiates. Sold by W. F. Creighton Co., 401 King street

Found Guilty of Assault.

Dedham, Mass., Aug. 21.—James Donnelly, of Philadelphia, National Organization of the Tapestry Weavers Association, of America, was this morning found guilty of making an assault and battery on Pietro Senerchia, a strike breaker at East Dedham on August 16. He was fined $25, and required to give bonds in the sum of $500 to keep the peace. Donnelly appealed.

Stabbed by Juvenile Burglar.

Pittsburg, Aug. 21.—Mrs. Mary Fetchitt, living at 4910 Harrison street, was fatally stabbed yesterday morning by Joseph Splane, a burglar, 17 years old, whom she surprised in her room. Mrs. Fetchitt was busy in the lower part of her house when she heard a noise upstairs. She ran up and discovered Splane taking jewelry from her dresser. He turned to run, but she caught him and screamed for help. The boy grabbed a pair of scissors from the dresser and plunged them twice into the woman's side just below the heart. Splane ran to the street. A passerby heard Mrs. Fetchitt's screams and caught the boy and held him until an officer arrived. Physicians said Mrs. Fetchitt had been stabbed in both lungs. She is not expected to recover.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Aug. 21.—While the demand for stock slackened materially this morning, many of yesterday's buyers were disposed to hurriedly close their accounts because of fears of a possible reaction. The heaviness was most pronounced in the stocks that have had the most sensational advances within the last few days. Other issues that have had a steady and quiet upward movement continued strong, with the Hill stocks the most prominent features in the day's trading. Room traders who took an aggressive position on the bear side of the market yesterday offered stocks freely all around the room during the first hour, but as the hour drew to a close a steadier feeling developed and buying orders came in checking the reaction and causing some material rallies. London transactions in all amounted to about 75,000 shares with purchases exceeding sales.

Assaulted and Murdered.

The 16-year-old daughter of George Waddell, a farmer near Fremont, N. C., was murdered Sunday afternoon and her body thrown in the marlpit, where it was found the same day. Miss Waddell left home at 4 o'clock in the afternoon to visit Miss Holland, who lives half a mile from the home of the Waddell family. Late in the evening, when she failed to returned, her father went to inquire about her, and learned that she had not been to the place. Search was then instituted, and the body was found floating on the surface of the water in a marl pit in a field near her home. An examination of the body showed numerous bruises and scratches, and the condition of her neck made it clear that she had been strangled. The circumstances indicated that the girl had been outraged. Her umbrella lay near the pit, and the ground showed that a struggle had taken place. There is intense excitement in the surrounding country, but there is no clue to the murderer.

Deaths on Rail Cause Riot.

Two Italian laborers are dead, two are dying and 15 more are lying injured in the Charlotte House, Charlotte, Mich., as a result of an accident on the Michigan Central railroad yesterday afternoon. A work-train crew was re-laying tracks, and the engine was backed into the train while the 50 laborers on the work train were eating their dinner. A majority of the men were sitting about on several flatcars, which were wrecked and thrown off the track. One of the laborers was instantly killed. As soon as the uninjured Italians realized that their fellows had been injured they rushed for the engineer, who ran his engine back up the track and escaped before they could do him harm. A relief train was dispatched from Charlotte and the dead and injured laborers were brought to the Charlotte House and given medical attention. The injuries of the 15 men range from broken legs and cut heads to smashed fingers.

Charge Against Doctors.

A sensation was created in society and business circles of Fairmont, W. Va., yesterday evening, when Dr. G. W. Keener, an optician, of Wheeling, W. Va., swore out warrants for Dr. Lee B. Boyers, a physician, and Dr. A. Badgley, a dentist, of Fairmont, charging them with being guilty of an illegal operation. The subject of the operation is alleged to have been Miss Bessie Keener, a daughter of Dr. Keener. All the parties concerned are prominent. Two years ago Miss Keener was employed in the reception room at Dr. Badgley's dental parlors, and it is charged that Dr. Boyers performed the operation at the instance of Dr. Badgley. The two defendants were arraigned before Justice Bennington last night and gave bond of $3,000 each for their appearance for a preliminary hearing at a date to be determined later.

Luckiest Man in Arkansas.

"I'm the luckiest man in Arkansas," writes H. L. Stanley, of Bruno, "since the restoration of my wife's health after five years of continuous coughing and bleeding from the lungs; and I owe my good fortune to the world's greatest medicine, Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which I know from experience will cure consumption if taken in time. My wife improved with first bottle and twelve bottles completed the cure." Cures the worst coughs and colds or money refunded. At E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' druggists. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

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DIED.

Monday, August 20, after a long and patient illness, ELIZABETH McGUIRE. Four daughters, Alice Sexton, Nannie Digge, Louisa Perpener and Blanche Brown, and her son, Rubie, mourn her loss. Funeral from Roberts Chapel, M. E. Church, Wednesday at 3 p m.—[Washington papers please copy.

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Alexandria Gazette

TUESDAY EVENING, AUG. 21, 1906.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:18 a. m. and sets at 6:48 p. m. High water at 8:55 a. m. and 9:19 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section generally fair tonight and Wednesday; light to fresh southwesterly winds.

Vandalism in Alexandria.

The destruction of property in the residence of Mr. E. H. Kemper, on south Fairfax street, an account of which was published in yesterday's Gazette, recalls to mind similar acts committed in the same house or on the premises in recent years. On several occasions when Mr. Kemper and his family returned from their summer vacation they found the garden torn up and vines and trees destroyed. The fact that similar depredations are committed in Mr. Kemper's residence every summer during the absence of himself and family leads to the belief that some one used this method to vent a personal feeling against either Mr. Kemper or his wife. Mr. Kemper has heretofore changed the locks on all of the doors and resorted to various plans to catch the guilty person, but without avail. Several years ago, while Mr. Kemper and family were away, his house was entered and a handsome piano, which he had just purchased for his little daughter, was chopped with a hatchet and practically ruined. On another occasion the furniture in his dining room was smashed. Mr. Kemper has offered a large reward for the apprehension of the guilty person.

In many instances unoccupied houses in this city have been entered and chandeliers broken up in order that they might be sold for junk, while water pipes have been wrenched from their fastenings and disposed of in a like manner.

The Firemen.

The three active volunteer fire companies—the Relief, Reliance and Columbia—will leave this city at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning for Richmond to attend the 20th annual convention and tournament of the Virginia State Firemen's Association, which will begin in that city tomorrow and end Friday evening. The firemen are making extensive preparations to present a fine appearance in the parade on Thursday and they hope to bring one of the prizes back with them. The Alexandrians will be headed by 25 pieces of the Naval Gun Factory Band of Washington. The Relief, under command of Assistant Foreman John Webster, and the Reliance, under Capt. Arthur Grimes, will wear the regulation uniform, while the Columbia, headed by Captain Frank Pettit, will wear their becoming drab uniforms and will carry short wooden hose pipes with a bouquet of flowers in the top of each. They will also carry in line a beautiful banner, made of silk, and which has the name of the company and the seal of the State artistically and attractively worked on it, both supported by a background of red, white and blue. The firemen will leave Richmond Friday night at 8 o'clock.

All the companies will hold special meetings tonight to make final arrangements for the trip.

Chief Pettey's Appeal.

The following is a copy of the letter recently sent to insurance agents by George W. Pettey, Chief Engineer of the Fire Department of this city. The letter is typewritten on a printed letter-head, bearing the following: Office of chief engineer, fire department, George W. Pettey, chief engineer; R. M. Pettey, secretary."

Dear Sir: On account of my horse being disabled, rendering him useless and necessitating the purchase of another, I respectfully appeal to the fire insurance companies represented in this city to contribute toward the purchase of the same. I am sure you realize the extreme and vital importance of the chief's arrival on the fire grounds with all possible dispatch to check the spread of the flames, thereby preventing serious and disastrous conflagrations.

This is my first appeal to the fire insurance companies in any way, and I sincerely trust you will accord same due consideration. I have lost three horses during my eight years as chief, and I have not had a house to burn down, because I have always arrived on the fire ground in time to do effective work.

My salary of $50 per year from the city, as you see, does not enable me to purchase another horse, since the three I lost were purchased by myself. Hoping you will accord this very important matter your due consideration and with best wishes, I am, very respectfully yours, GEORGE W. PETTEY
Chief Engineer Fire Department

Floods in the Potomac.

The recent frequent rains have kept the Potomac muddy, and occasionally currents have been noticed in the river. Advices from the upper Potomac are to effect that the recent heavy rains have caused a rise of ten feet in the river at Williamsport. The river last night was bank full and at a standstill. Should more heavy rains fall it is feared the banks will overflow. The river has been swollen for three weeks, during which time it has been impossible to ford it at Williamsport. Conococheague creek began rising Sunday evening, and is now six feet above normal, but has not overflowed. Antietam creek is also badly swollen. There have been no unusually high tides at Alexandria yet, but such are anticipated.

Coming Regatta.

The revenue cutter Apache, which arrived at Baltimore about ten days ago from Galveston, and which has taken the place of the cutter Windom on the Chesapeake Bay station, will, it is expected, go into service at once. It is expected that the first visit the Apache will make to the upper Potomac will be when she comes to guard the course during the regatta of the Middle States Association, Labor day, September 3. The regatta will take place in this vicinity. The Treasury Department has been asked to detail a cutter to enforce the rules for vessels with spectators aboard and to keep the course clear.

Woman Fought Officer.

Some excitement was caused on north Royal street about 6 o'clock yesterday evening by a colored woman named Gertrude Evans, who had been arrested by Officer Henderson in the "Petersburg" neighborhood for drunken and disorderly conduct. The woman fought the officer viciously, using her teeth and finger nails at every opportunity. She was, after considerable difficulty, placed in a cell at the station house. She was fined $5 in the Police Court this morning.

Personal.

Mr. John G. Graham and Mr. Chas. S. Howell left yesterday for Atlantic City.

Miss Anna E. Deahl, who has been confined to her home with sickness for the past four weeks, is improving.

Among the guests at the celebration of the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Bernhard Gusdorf, in Washington, last night, were Mr. and Mrs. N. Wollberg and family, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Morris, of Alexandria.

Mrs. Robert Crook and son have gone to New York to visit Mrs. Albert Henderson.

Mrs. Horace F. Waters and daughters, Misses Maybelle and Margaret, of Atlanta, Ga., are the guests of Mrs. Wm. H. McOuen, on north Alfred street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L Monroe, who have been visiting in Prince George's county, Md., have returned to their home in this city.

Miss Rose Doherty, of Richmond, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Candler on north St. Asaph street.

Mrs. M. A. Hanrahan and her daughter, Miss Geneva, are visiting in Cumberland, Md.

Miss Sallie Wade, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. J. T. Boyd, on Queen street.

Mrs. Dorsey Fair and son Ralph have gone to Bon-Air, Prince William county, the home of her father, to spend a few weeks.

Mr. Charles Bell and Mr. Charles Moore are camping on Coan river.

Mr. Fred C. Matthews has gone to Colonial Beach for the balance of the week.

Mr. Lawrence Wellington Rose has returned from a ten days' outing at Colonial Beach.

Miss Marie Fannon has returned from a delightful trip to New York and Atlantic City.

Accused Dismissed.

Harvey Brown, a colored boy, was arrested this morning by Officer Beach at the instance of his aunt, who requested that he be sent to the Reform School. The woman alleged that the boy is incorrigible and that he recently stole a sum of money from her. When she made her statement to Justice Caton, she said she merely wanted the offender sent to the Reform School for three months, and was averse to his detention there until he reached manhood. The complainant was told that the State did not propose to nurse incorrigibles, and the accused was liberated.

Sentenced to Jail.

The case of Lee Downs, who had been arrested on suspicion of stealing hats from a Southern Railway car a few nights ago, came up in the Police Court this morning. He was sentenced to serve 60 days in jail.

The case of Barney Massey, who had been arrested on suspicion of stealing hams from a Southern Railway car, was continued.

Improper Resorts.

Several negroes, male and female, were before the Police Court this morning charged with conducting improper resorts. Small fines were imposed, but with the understanding that should they continue their offensive occupations more severe penalties would be inflicted upon them. These places are the attractions for many colored men who work on railroads contiguous to this city.

Inquest Unnecessary.

After making an investigation into the death of Emerson Alexander, an attendant at St. Elizabeth's Aslylum, who was found in a berth on the steamer Washington, of the Norfolk and Washington line, when it arrived in Washington Sunday morning, Coroner Nevitt decided that the death was from natural causes and deemed an inquest unnecessary.

Opera House to Reopen.

The theatrical season of 1906-07 will open at the Opera House on September 1st, the attraction to be "Peck's Bad Boy." This show has been seen in this city several times and has always pleased a large audience, Several changes in the personnel of the Opera House have been made, and an efficient service and plenty of good productions are promised.

Fined Twenty-five Dollars.

Arthur Hicks was arrested last night by Officers Jones, Garvey, Lyles and Bell charged with cruel treatment to a horse, which resulted in the death of the animal. The accused was brought before Justice Caton in the Police Court this morning and fined $25. The horse belonged to Mr. Peter Harrington.

Police Court.

There were 31 cases on the docket of the Police Court this morning. Some of the persons who had been taken in custody were charged with assaults, others had been drunk and disorderly, guilty of improper conduct, abusive language, &c. A majority of the prisoners were colored It took two hours to clear the docket.

Frightfully Burned.

Chas. W. Moore, a machinist, of Ford City, Pa., had his hand frightfully burned in an electrical furnace. He applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve with the usual result: "a quick and perfect cure." Greatest healer on earth for Burns, Wounds, Sores, Eczema and Piles. 25c at E. S. Leadbeater and Sons, druggists.

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Bolt Out of a Clear Sky.

The people of Cincinnati were startled yesterday by a most unusual freak of nature. Out of the intense glare of the noonday sun, that almost made the streets sizzle with the heat, came a blinding bolt of lightning, followed by a terrific crash that caused every one to stop and see what had happened. Trolley and telegraph wires hummed until they seemed fairly alive with the vibration. The bolt was followed by a few drops of rain that descended from a cloudless sky. The bolt fell into the very heart of the city, and the crash of sound or explosion seemed loudest above the skyscrapers. Several windows in the government building on Fountain square were cracked by the concussion. At Fifth and Vine streets a car turning the corner showed the greatest effects of the bolt. The wild current passed from the trolley wire into the car, burning out its fuses and setting the motor boxes on fire. One explanation of the phenomenon advanced was that it was the explosion of an electrical bomb compounded by nature, and another that it was a sort of heat explosion. The concussion was so great that the occupants of downtown offices experienced a sensation as if the building were shaken.

Pranks of Lightning.

During a terrific electric storm in Baltimore yesterday evening lightning struck in several places. In a residence on Pennsylvania avenue a bolt through a window struck a lamp on a reading table about which were seated Mrs. George Suter and her two year-old daughter, smashing the lamp, and severely stunning mother and child. In the next block Mrs. J. T. Hoffman was preparing the evening meal, when a bolt entered the front door of the house, passed by the woman, played around the knife that she held in her hand, shocking her and others, and passed out a back door, doing no other damage. Mrs. Hoffman was badly stunned. Almost simultaneously with these bolts another one entered the branch office of the American Ice Company. Fremont avenue and Preston street, and filled the office with balls of fire. The blaze and noise were so great that it frightened a team of horses of the ice company standing in front of the office.

Allowed Bandit to Escape.

Colonel Solovieff, who investigated the escape of Belenzoff, the leader of the band of Moscow bank robbers, from the train on which he was being conveyed to Moscow for trial, has found that his escape was due to the gross carelessness of the guards.

The colonel says the report made by the latter of the affair was simply designed to relieve them of responsibility, Instead of jumping through a window of the train, it turns out that Belenzoff was in the toilet room, with a guard outside. The prisoner locked the door, raised the window, quietly lowered himself to the step of the car and jumped off. His escape was not discovered until half an hour later. The shattering of the window by the guards, the colonel adds, was a mere blind. The gendarmes who formed the guard have been summoned to St. Petersburg to answer to their neglect of duty.

Oyster Pirates.

The State Board of Fisheries of Virginia and representatives of Maryland will meet aboard a boat in the Potomac river, the scene of depredation by oyster pirates from both States. They will hold a conference with a view to the enforcement of the oyster law for the mutual benefit of the two States. Chairman W. McD. Lee, of the Virginia commission, has been cruising the oyster areas of Virginia during the entire summer and will go to the conference fully informed on conditions, particularly in the waters adjoining the Maryland line. The purpose of the conference is to come to an understanding, so that oyster pirates cannot depredate in either State. The Virginia board will meet at Hampton tomorrow to dispose of a number of questions in connection with local cases, and will then sail for the Potomac on the steamer Accomac to meet the Maryland representatives.

It is expected that Mayor Smith, of Delaware City, will shortly prohibit the stopping of excursion steamers there on Sunday. It was announced from that place yesterday that for several Sundays a steamboat has landed a particularly objectionable crowd in the town from Philadelphia. The language of these excursionists was offensive and many of the men made a practice of swimming in the Delaware and Chesapeake canal in the town in bathing suits furnished by nature.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

There was another heavy rain at an early hour this morning which choked the sewers on some streets and flooded pavements and cellars.

Elizabeth McGuire, a well-known and spected colored resident, died at her home, 810 Wolfe street, yesterday. The deceased for many years was a nurse in this city.

Eva May, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kerrick, died yesterday evening at 418 north Columbus street, aged 12 months. Her funeral will take place at 5 o'clock this evening.

Trustees of Belle Haven Lodge, Knights of Honor, have paid to Mrs. Sarah A. M. and Sidney L. Smith $2,000, the amount of the benefit certificate held by the late J. C. Smith, a member of the order.

In the clerk's office in the Corporation Court today F. H. M. Murray transferred the deed to a lot on north Princess street, between Alfred and Columbus, to Wm. B. Dulany.

Mr. Spencer, living on south Washington street, had one of his ankles sprained while at work at the Southern Railway depot this morning.

Three houses near Franconia, occupied by workmen on the railway, were entered by thieves Sunday night and robbed.

The schooner Silver Star, loaded with lumber by H. K. Field & Co., has sailed for Aquia creek.

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NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—A special meeting of the stockholders of THE EMERSON STEAM PUMP COMPANY will be held at its principal office in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at 11 o'clock a. m., on THURSDAY, the 14th day of June, 1906, to consider the issue of first mortgage bonds and the securing of the payment of the same and the interest to accrue thereon.
By order of the Board of Directors.
R. BRUCE EMERSON, Secretary.

Meeting adjourned until June 28, 1906, at same place and hour.

Meeting adjourned until July 12th, 1906, at same place and hour.

Meeting adjourned until July 19th, 1906, at same place and hour.

Meeting adjourned until July 24, 1906, at same place and hour.

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SALE OF Odds and Ends.

A radical clear-up clearance of all small lots, broken lines, odds and ends—Remnants, etc.! The season's most important sale began Monday morning. Prices are at the giving-away point, no matter how great the sacrifice or how high the cost. Prices have been made that will force out goods for what they will bring!

Lot Cotton Voiles, 12½c value, at 5c the yard.
Lot of Silk Colored Organdies, 19c value, 10c the yard.
Lot of Colored Lawns, 12½c value, for 6¼c the yard.
Lot of Silk Aeolians, 25c value, for 10c the yard.
Mixed lot of Calicos, Linings, Fancy Suitings, &c., 6c to 12½c values, for 3¼c the yard.
Lot of Ladies' Cambric Corset Covers, 15c value, for 9c.
Lot of Ladies' Fancy Neckwear, 25c value, for 10c.
Mixed lot of Remnants of Percales, Ginghams, Cretones, &c., all 12½c values, for 6¼c the yard.
Odd lot of White Figured Madras, sold for 25c, 12½c the yard.
One lot of Checked Nainsooks at 5c the yard.
Lot of Fancy Silk Remnants sold for as high as $1 the yard, 19c.
Lot of Corsets, 50c to $1 values, at 29c the pair.
Lot of Light Shirting Prints at 4c the yard.
5 pieces 36-inch Cream Mohair at 25c the yard.
Lot of Children's Parasols, 10c.
Lot of Infants' Mull Caps, 50c to $1 values, at 25c.
Ladies' White Waists sold for $1 to $1.50, for 69c.
5 Ladies' White India Linen and Madras Shirt Waist Suits, reduced to half price.
50 gross of Pearl Buttons le the dozen.
Lot of Silesia Linings at 5c the yard.
Lot of Dark Outing Flannels at 5c the yard.
Lot of yard wide Bleached Cotton, 6c to 8c value, at 4½c the yard.
Lot of Bleached Sheets, large size, 39c.
Bale of 40-inch fine Sea Island Brown Cotton, worth 12½c, at 7½c.
Bale of yard wide Brown Cotton for 5c the yard.
Bale of 3-4 Brown Cotton at 4c.
Ladies' Black Lace Hose at 9c the pair.
Large size Huck Towels, 9c.
Ladies' Gingham Aprons, 17c.
Blouse Link Suiting, 15c value, at 10c the yard.
Infants' White Flannel at 12½c yard.
25 pieces of Bleach Huck Crash, 8c value, at 5c.
Colored Table Oilcloths at 15c the yard.
Lot of Ladies' Turnover Collars 10c value, for 5c.
Ladies' 50c White Waists for 39c.
Odd lot Side Combs, 2c the pair.
Odd lot of Pocketbooks, 5c.
One lot of Back Combs, 5c.
Lot of Ladies' Muslin Pants, 12½c pair.
Lot of Plain White Swiss, 15c value, for 9c the yard.
Lot of 50c Wool Dress Goods Remnants, 19c the yard.
Men's 12½c Light-weight Black Socks, 9c the pair.
Men's Negligee Shirts, 29c value, at 21c.
Boys' Bathing Trunks, 9c.
Men's and Boys' Balbriggan Underwear, 21c.
Odd lot of Boys' Shirt Waists, 15c.
Lot of Embroideries, 8c to 10c values, 6c yard.
Lot of Embroideries, 12½c to 18c values, 9c yard.
Lot of Val. Laces, 9c the bunch.
Lot of Wash Belts and Patent Leather Belts for 9c.

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PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF THE CONSTRUCTING QUARTERMASTER, U. S. Army, Fort Hunt, Va., August 6th, 1906. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon September 6th, 1906, for the drainage of the parade ground at Fort Hunt, Va. Information regarding plans and specifications may be obtained at this office. Proposals must be marked "Proposals for dainage of Parade ground at Fort Hunt, Va.," and addressed to the Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Fort Hunt, Va. aug7,8,9,10, sep4,5.

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TUESDAY EVENING, AUG. 21, 1906.

Known by Instinct.

To understand war, says the author of "A People at School," is an instinct. To illustrate the aphorism he tells a story of an English general whose understanding of sounds was phenomenal. One night, he says, after dinner they were all sitting talking at headquarters. They were expecting an attack, and sentries and pickets were posted far out beyond the blockade. Suddenly we heard one shot. Of course every one jumped up. The bugles sounded; the men fell in; the officers ran to their posts. General Symons alone had not moved. After listening intently for a moment or two he had sat down again. I myself was between two minds whether to go out with one of the parties hastily assembling outside or to stay with the general. So I stood irresolutely by the door.

"You can sit down," said Symons. "It is nothing. A sentry has let off his rifle by accident. That is all."

So it proved. While he was leaning upon his rifle it had gone off, and so had his fingers.

Trying to Charm Away Epilepsy.

We need not go to Servia or Natal or farther than Devonshire to find superstitions. Only the other day in a Devonshire village a woman was supposed to have had epilepsy exorcised in the following way: She went to the village church, accompanied by twenty-nine married men, who left her sitting silent in the porch while they entered the building for service. After service each of the twenty-nine as he passed out dropped a penny in her lap, and when the churchwarden had made a similar contribution the thirty pence in copper were changed by him into a silver half crown, out of which he had a ring forged to be worn by the epileptic as an infallible charm against her disorder. If, however, the woman uttered a single word from the moment she left her house till her return the charm must fail.—T. P.'s Weekly.

Varying Weight of the Body.

A physician points out that several fallacies are common with regard to the weight of the human body. The man who congratulates himself on his gain of several pounds in weight in a given period may have no cause for rejoicing, for he may be under a delusion. Very few persons, says the investigator, have any correct idea of their own weight. As a matter of fact, the weight of the body is continually changing owing to innumerable influences. On a warm day after breakfast a man will lose more than a third of a pound per hour. Seventy per cent of the body contains water, and its weight varies constantly. The inference to be drawn from the loss or gain of a pound or two may be mistrusted. Fluctuations of a few ounces are a sign that the body is in a healthy state.—Milwaukee Citizen.

Gold Horseshoes In Olden Times.

Roman writers inform us that Commodus caused the hoofs of his horses to be covered with gold leaf and even the fetlocks to be gilded. Nero's chariot journeys were invariably performed on white mules wearing gold shoes on their fore feet and silver behind. The beasts which drew the chariots of his wife, Poppæ, were shod all around with gold. Several others among the dignitaries and potentates of the riotous days of the Roman empire shod their horses with gold and used the same material for bridle bits, buckles, spurs, etc.

The Life Line on the Foot.

Starting from the base of the big toe there is a distinct line. That is the life line. In one foot it will curve along until it terminates under the instep far toward the lower base of the little toe. This means long life. If broken in the hollow of the foot it denotes a sickness at middle age, and if it terminates in the hollow of the foot it means a short life. This line is the most interesting one on the foot. The experiments that have been conducted have proved this to be an almost unfailing reading of longevity.

Simon and Grevy.

Jules Simon said that the most exciting moment of his life was when he was trying to obtain a concession on tariff from a foreign diplomat with whom President Grevy was playing billiards. He whispered to Grevy to lose the game, but Grevy insisted on playing to win and relented only when he observed that the minister was in anguish.

Language of the Heart.

The language of the heart which comes from the heart and goes to the heart is always simple, graceful and full of power, but no art of rhetoric can teach it. It is at once the easiest and most difficult language—difficult since it needs a heart to speak it; easy because its periods, though rounded and full of harmony, are still unstudied.—Bovee.

Measure For Measure.

"And the name is to be"— asked the suave minister as he approached the font with the precious armful of fat and flounces.

"Augustus Philip Ferdinand Codrington Chesterfield Livingstone Snooks."

"Dear, dear" (turning to the sexton). "A little more water, Mr. Perkins, if you please."—London Tit-Bits.

A Healing Gospel.

The Rev. J. C. Warren, pastor of Sharon Baptist Church, Belair, Ga., says of Electric Bitters:" "It's a God-send to mankind. It cured me of lame back, stiff joints, and complete physical collapse. I was so weak it took me half an hour to walk a mile. Two bottles of Electric Bitters have made me so strong I have just walked three miles in 50 minutes and feel like walking three more. It's made a new man of me." Greatest remedy for weakness and all Stomach, Liver and Kidney complaints. Sold under guarantee at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store. Price only 50c.

Prof. Tyler, of Amherst college, said recently: "A man can live comfortably without brains; no man ever existed without a digestive system. The dyspeptic has neither faith, hope or charity." Day by day people realize the importance of caring for their digestion; realize the need of the use of a little corrective after overeating. A corrective like Kodol For Dyspepsia. It digests what you eat. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 Kingstreet.

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Anderson, F M
Appich, Geo. A
Andrews, W S
Arnold, W C
Beigs, Mrs F C
Bendheim, Chas, residence
Bryan, Albert
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Baker, H J
Baltimore & Ohio Freight
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Barley, Louis C, atty-at-law S Royal
Baggett, W C
Barley, Louis C, residence 117 N Columbus
Beach, Dr Chas S
Bell Sons, Robert
Belle-Pre Glass Co
Bernheimer, S J
Bendheim, D & Sons
Bitzer, J H Dr.
Bohraus, Mrs. C
Boothe, Gardner L, office
Boothe, Gardner L, residence
Brill, Mrs Nettie
Brent, S G office
Brill, Louis, cafe
Brooks, Wm Fowle, residence
Brookes, Wm F & Co.
Brockett, A D, residence
Brockett, A D & Co
Bryant, Harbert, office
Bryant Herbert, residence
Block, H
Burke & Herbert
Burroughs, T F
Burke, H R, residence
Business Men's League
Burroughs, W J, residence
Calhan, Henry
Cummings, Miss M L
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Carlin, C C, residence
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Carlin, Mrs Kate
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Cochran, Miss C L
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Creighton, W F & Co
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Crupper, Joseph L
Curtin & Butts
Caton, Harry B, residence
Cogan, John A, plumber
Cochran, Dr Thos residence
Davidson, F J
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Entwisle, F L
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Episcopal High School
Fannon, T J
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Florence Crittendon Mission
Field & Co, H K
Finch, Geo S
Fisher, Thos A, residence
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Fleischmann Hotel
French, Geo S
Fogg, Julian
Fuller, R W, residence
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Gibson, Emily M Miss, residence 700 Duke
Gibson, Dr Thos
Goldsmith, E
Goods, C T
Green, Mrs Wm, north Washington
Green, Dr Louis S, residence S Washington
Green, Mrs Virginia, residence
Grigg, J Fossett
Hammond, J W & Sons
Harlow, M B & Co
Harlow, M B, residence
Havenner Baking Co
Harlow Bros
Harper, F S
Hellmuth Bros, market
Hellmuth Brothers, King street
Hammond, H
Hill, J M
Hill, J M & Co
Hill, Frank M
Hill, Zora
Hopkins, G D, residence
Hopkins, Dr. J Milton
Hooff, Chas R
Howard, Clifton T
Hill, Geo R
Huff, A J, residence
Janney, Dr C H
Jackson, Wm
Janney, Miss E M
Jones, Dr T M
Johnson, W A & Co
Johnson, Dr Albert
Kemper, Miss Sarah
Kelly, H V
Kicherer, Chas
Kirk, H
King, Charles & Son
King, James E, residence
King, Charles, residence
Kemper, E H
Knight, R E, stationery
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Loose, J L
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McLearen, Frank
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Manager's Office
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Market House
McGuire, Dr Hugh
Miller, E J & Co
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Moore, W S
Moore, C A
Markell, Geo E
Masseni, Chas
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May & Son, W H
Myers, R L & Co
Norton, J K M
Nugent, O J
O'Brien, Dr M W
Odell, Aaron, market
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Old Dominion Glass
Outcalt, C, dentist
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Packard, Miss C, residence
Peek, W H
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Ponnett, Constant, florist
Ponnet, C, florist, West End
Perry, Thomas
Petty, Geo W, residence
Portner Brewing Co, Pobt
Portner, Robt, treasurer's office
Portner, Robt, secretary's office
Postal Telegraph Cable Company
Price, Mark, residence
Petit, J M
Postoffice
Police Headquarters
Price, Overton W
Price, Geo E & Co, Market
Preston, J T, residence
Pullman, C O
Parson, E H (St Asaph)
Quinn, Edward
Reeves, Mrs
Rainsay, G Wm
Rainey, G H
Robertson, Mrs H F, residence
Reiter, Curtiss & Hill, contractors
Rice, J Harry, residence
Risheill, M L, saw mill
Rittenour, Dr A A
Reardon, Wm M
Robertson, H F
Roberts, Walter
Robinson, G H & Sons
Rogers, Joseph F
Ruben & Sons M
Ramuel, A & Sons
Reardon, Wm, residence
Rucker, Geo H (St Elmo)
Robinson, Thos W
Schlichting, Henry, residence
Schuler, M
Schwarzman, Geo D, residence
Smoot, W A jr, residence
Smith, Mrs. Francis
Smoot, C C & Sons
Smoot, W A & Co
Smoot, W A & Co, office King street
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Standard Oil Company
Stump, Rev J P
Stevens, Moses
Stuart, Douglass, office
Summers, C J W, residence
Shuman, L
Smoot, W B, residence
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Smith, F L
Strauss, H, residence
Swan Bros
Snowden, Dr Arthur
Southern Bell T & T Co
Smoot, W A & Co, King St, office
Taylor, E B
Stabler, Laurence
Thomson, Alfred, residence
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Wattles, C W
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Wheatley, B, residence
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White, Wythe
Wheatley, B
Wildt, H
Wilkins, Captain Jno T
Wingfield, S T, residence
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Wise, Mrs Peter
Woolls, W P
Yates, C B
Zimmerman, J R, residence
Zimmerman, J R, office
Zimmerman, Chas
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Beach, Chas (Burke's)
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Bartle, G P, Fairfax co
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Catts, J H, West End
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Cook, W H
Drew, J B
Demaine, W H & Son
Dean, A
Delaney, Dr M D
Diedrich, T
Dyer, John F, Fairfax co
Dove, W M, Fairfax co
Dreifus, J & Co
Duncan, Wm T residence
Downham, E E residence
Downham, E E store
Fitzgerald, J B
Episcopal High School (Seminary Hill.
Entwisle, J W druggist
Elliott, Robt
Fairfax & Co
Fannon, T J
Fannon, T J, Fairfax co
Field, H K & Co
Fleischmann House
Fairfax Independent Mutual Fire Ins Co
Francis, Peter
Gates & Co
Gorman, Dr E A
Gibson & Timberman
Green, Edward

TELEPHONE EXCHANGE.

Gillingham, W, Fairfax co
Gillingham, Louis, Fairfax co
Gibbs, Norman, Mt Vernon
Globe Flour Mills
Garrett & Monroe
Graves, W P
Goods, J W grocer
Goldsmith, E
Goodrich, Chas residence
Havener Baking Co
Hotel Rammel
Harper, F H
Hantzmon, Harry M
Hill, Ed, Jr.
Hughes, Jas B
Hall, M B (Burke's)
Holland, Wm, Fairfax co
Harrison, A R, Fairfax co
Harlow & Co
Harper, P S
Hinkan & Son
Hamilton & Co
Hill, J M & Co
Hoy, Thos
Johnson, W A & Co
Jenkins, A C, Fairfax
Jail
Johnson, J M lawyer
Kelley, Mrs Chas
Klipstein, Dr G T
Kester, Paul, Fairfax co
Kuehling, J H, Fairfax co
King, Chas & Son
Kirk, H jr
Lindsey, N & Co
Leadbeater & Sons
Lindsey, N Braddock Heigh
Lannon, Thos
Lowenbach & Bro
Lindsey, S E
Lukens, C, Fairfax co
Lawler, E E
May, W H & Son
Milburn, J C
May, J W residence
Matter, E P electrician
Marbury, F F manager
Mutual Ice Co
McKenney & Son
Mercantile Ry B'ldg & Loan Ass'n
Meeks, A E
McKenney, Jas E
Moss, Alfred C, S St Asaph St
Meehan & Mooney, Attorneys at Law
McFarland, M J
Martin, Mrs E
Manager's Office
Myers R L & Co
McKenney, H & Co
Mudd, Z
Murray Bros
Moore, Dr S B
McCauley, Jas A
McGuire, Dr H
McWilliams, John, Fairfax co
Monroe, J L, Fairfax co
Mason, J P H, Fairfax co
Marshall, R E, (Burke's)
Matthews, F C
Normoyle, John D
Nevett, W, Accotink
Norton, J K M
O'Sullivan, M E
Ochse, A M
Patterson, Jas, Fairfax co
Patterson, Jas, livery,
Parker Bros
Priest, W M
Perry, Thomas
Pulman, P J
Pierson, H W, Fairfax co
Pierson, H A, Accotink
Pillings, J Hall, Fairfax co
Phillips, Henry Agent Corby's Bread
Pullman, P & Co,
Pollard, F J
Pullman, P & Co, Main Store
Portner, Robert
Postoffice
Police Headquarters
Postal Headquarters
Postal Telegraph Co
Pennsylvania Ry Co
Power, T F, Supt Water Co West End
Peck, W H
Quinn, Edward
Ramsay, G Wm
Reardon, Wm M
Relief Truck House
Roberts, Walter Office
Roberts, Walter residence, West E'd
Roberts, J W West End
Rammel, A
Ramsey, Jos H residence
Rust, Dr D N residence
Rogers, Wm residence
Reliance Engine Co
Robertson, H F
Rittenour, Dr A A
Roberts, A H, Fairfax co
Reiter, Curtiss & Hill Accotink
Reiter, Curtiss & Hill
Smith, B B
Southern Express Co
Simpson, S J & Bro
Studds, Samuel
Smoot, Albert, Seminary Hill
Snowden, Stacey, Fairfax co
Simpson's Sons H L
Smoot, C C Sons & Co Tannery
Smoot, W A & Co
Smith, Francis L
Smith, W H
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Thompson, D D, Fairfax co
Troth, G H, Accotink
Troth, F W, Accotink
Thompson, E A, Fairfax co
Virginia Glass Works
Wilkins, Dr
Wells, Geo W
Washington Southern Ry Co
Weedon, H B
Watkins, J B
Watkins & Bro
Wilson, W L
Webster, John D
Wheatley, B
Walton, E
Walton, E, Fairfax co
Wilkins, Howard, Fairfax co
Wilkinson, F H, Fairfax co
Warfield & Hall
Warfield, jr E
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Wise, Geo & Co
Wise, Geo, residence, Seminary Hill
Woolls, W P, Wolfe and Royal
Woolls, W P, Queen and Henry
Zimmerman, J R
Zimmerman, Chas
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